

9.0 ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

APE	area of potential effects
B.P.	Before Present
Cal/OSHA	California Occupational Safety and Health Administration
CCR	California Code of Regulations
CEQ	Council on Environmental Quality
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CO	carbon monoxide
CVP	Central Valley Project
CVPIA	Central Valley Project Improvement Act
dB	decibel
dBA	A-weighted decibel
DOI	Department of the Interior
DWR	Department of Water Resources
EA	environmental assessment
EO	Executive Order
ESA	Endangered Species Act
°F	degrees Fahrenheit
GAP	Gap Analysis Program
HWMP	Hazardous Waste Management Plan
KCWA	Kern County Water Agency
M&I	Municipal and Industrial
µg/L	micrograms per liter
mg/L	milligrams per liter
µS/cm	microSiemens per centimeter
ND	not detected
NEPA	National Environmental Policy Act
NR	not reported
NRHP	National Register of Historic Places
NTU	nephelometric turbidity unit
NO ₂	nitrogen dioxide
NO _x	oxides of nitrogen
O ₃	ozone
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration

PEIS	Preliminary Environmental Impact Statement
P.L.	Public Law
PM ₁₀	particulate matter 10 microns or less in diameter
RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
ROG	Reactive Organic Gases
SJV	San Joaquin Valley
SJVUAPCD	San Joaquin Valley Unified Air Pollution Control District
SO ₂	sulfur dioxide
SU	Siemens unit
SWP	State Water Project
U.S.C.	U.S. Code
U.S. EPA	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
USFWS	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
VOC	volatile organic compound
WWD	Westlands Water District